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Applicant: Services Pétroliers Schlumberger et al.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 8, 2007

Sir:

This is the Response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2007. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.